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POPULATION OF MARYLAND BY COUNTIES AND MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS.

This bulletin, prepared under the direction of Mr. WILLIAM C. HUNT, chief statistician for population, gives the aggregate population of Maryland by counties and minor civil divisions, according to the official count of the returns of the Twelfth Census, taken as of June 1, 1900.

Maryland was one of the original thirteen states. Table 1 shows the population of Maryland at each census from 1790 to 1900, inclusive, together with the increase by number and per cent during each decade.

TABLE 1.—POPULATION OF MARYLAND: 1790 TO 1900.

CENSUS YEARS.	Population.	INCREASE.	
		Number.	Per cent.
1900	1,190,050	147,660	14.2
1890	1,042,390	107,447	11.5
1880	934,948	154,049	19.7
1870	780,804	98,845	18.7
1860	687,049	104,015	17.8
1850	583,034	113,015	24.0
1840	470,019	22,979	5.1
1830	447,040	30,690	9.7
1820	407,350	26,804	7.0
1810	380,546	38,998	11.4
1800	341,548	21,820	6.8
1790	319,728		

The population of the state in 1900 is 1,190,050 as compared with a population in 1890 of 1,042,390, showing an increase since 1890 of 147,660, or 14.2 per cent. This is both a greater numerical increase and rate of increase than that for the decade from 1880 to 1890, but less than both the absolute and proportional increase from 1870 to 1880. The growth of the state in population has been rather small and shows fluctuating percentages throughout the eleven decades for which census returns have been made. The largest rate of increase was 24.0 per cent for the ten years from 1840 to 1850, but this immediately followed a decade in which the increase was only 5.1 per cent, the lowest in the history of the state.

The population of Maryland in 1900 is more than three times as large as that given for 1790, the year in which the first census was taken.

The total land surface of Maryland is, approximately, 9,860 square miles, the average number of persons to the square mile at the censuses of 1890 and 1900 being as follows: 1890, 105.7; 1900, 120.7.

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Table 2 shows the population of Maryland by counties at each census from 1790 to 1900, inclusive, while table 3, which immediately follows, shows, for each county, the increase (or decrease) by number and per cent during the ten years from 1890 to 1900.

TABLE 2.—POPULATION OF MARYLAND BY COUNTIES: 1790 TO 1900.

COUNTIES.	1900	1890	1880	1870	1860	1850	1840	1830	1820	1810	1800	1790
The State.....	1,190,050	1,042,390	984,943	780,894	687,049	583,034	470,019	447,040	407,350	380,546	341,548	319,728
Allegany.....	53,594	41,571	38,012	38,586	23,343	22,769	15,690	10,609	8,654	6,909	6,308	4,809
Anne Arundel.....	40,018	34,094	28,526	24,457	23,903	32,393	20,532	28,235	27,185	25,668	22,623	22,508
Baltimore.....	90,755	72,909	83,336	68,387	54,185	210,046	134,379	120,870	96,201	75,810	59,030	38,957
Baltimore city ¹	503,957	434,439	332,813	267,354	212,418							
Calvert.....	10,223	9,800	10,588	9,865	10,447	9,646	9,223	8,900	8,073	8,003	8,297	8,653
Caroline.....	16,248	13,903	13,766	12,101	11,129	9,692	7,806	9,070	10,108	9,453	9,226	9,500
Carroll.....	33,880	32,376	30,992	28,619	24,533	20,616	17,211					
Cecil.....	24,632	25,851	27,108	25,874	23,802	18,939	17,232	15,432	16,048	13,966	9,018	13,625
Charles.....	18,316	15,191	18,548	15,738	16,517	16,132	16,023	17,769	16,500	20,245	19,172	20,613
Dorchester.....	27,952	24,848	23,110	19,438	20,401	18,877	18,843	18,686	17,759	18,108	16,346	15,876
Frederick.....	51,920	49,512	50,482	47,572	46,591	40,987	35,405	45,789	40,459	34,437	31,523	30,701
Garrett.....	17,701	14,213	12,175									
Harford.....	28,259	23,923	28,042	22,095	23,415	19,356	17,120	16,319	15,924	21,258	17,626	14,975
Howard.....	16,715	16,269	16,140	14,150	13,338							
Kent.....	18,756	17,471	17,605	17,102	18,267	11,356	10,842	10,501	11,453	11,450	11,771	12,630
Montgomery.....	30,451	27,185	24,769	20,563	18,322	15,800	15,456	16,403	17,980	16,058	15,058	13,003
Prince George.....	29,858	26,080	26,451	21,138	23,327	17,519	19,539	20,474	20,216	20,589	21,185	21,344
Queen Anne.....	18,864	18,461	19,287	16,171	15,901	14,484	12,633	14,397	14,952	16,618	14,857	15,468
St. Mary.....	13,136	15,819	16,984	14,944	15,213	13,698	13,224	13,459	12,974	12,794	13,099	15,514
Somerset.....	26,923	24,155	21,668	13,190	24,932	22,466	19,503	20,166	19,379	17,195	17,358	15,610
Talbot.....	20,342	19,793	19,665	18,197	14,795	18,811	12,030	12,647	14,389	14,230	13,433	13,081
Washington.....	45,133	39,782	35,561	34,712	31,417	30,848	28,850	25,288	23,075	18,730	18,650	16,322
Wicomico.....	22,352	19,993	18,016	15,802								
Worcester.....	20,865	19,747	19,539	16,419	20,661	18,869	18,377	18,273	17,421	16,971	13,370	11,310

¹ Part of Baltimore county annexed to Baltimore city between 1880 and 1890.

TABLE 3.—INCREASE IN POPULATION OF MARYLAND BY COUNTIES: 1890 TO 1900.

COUNTIES.	INCREASE.		COUNTIES.	INCREASE.	
	Number.	Per cent.		Number.	Per cent.
The State.....	147,660	14.2	Garrett.....	3,458	24.5
Allegany.....	12,123	29.2	Harford.....	1,724	12.6
Anne Arundel.....	5,924	17.4	Howard.....	446	2.7
Baltimore.....	17,846	24.5	Kent.....	1,315	7.5
Baltimore city.....	74,518	17.2	Montgomery.....	3,266	12.0
Calvert.....	363	3.7	Prince George.....	3,818	14.6
Caroline.....	2,345	16.9	Queen Anne.....	1,97	0.5
Carroll.....	1,434	4.6	St. Mary.....	2,317	14.6
Cecil.....	11,189	14.6	Somerset.....	1,763	7.3
Charles.....	3,125	20.6	Talbot.....	606	3.1
Dorchester.....	3,119	12.6	Washington.....	5,351	13.6
Frederick.....	2,408	4.9	Wicomico.....	2,922	14.7
			Worcester.....	1,118	5.7

¹ Decrease.

There have been no territorial changes in the counties of Maryland since 1890.

Of the 24 counties in the state all but 3 have increased in population during the decade, the counties showing the greatest percentages of gain being Allegany, 29.2 per cent; Baltimore, 24.5 per cent; Garrett, 24.5 per cent; and Charles, 20.6 per cent.

The 3 counties showing a decrease in population are, Cecil, Harford, and Queen Anne.

Table 4 shows the population of Maryland by minor civil divisions, so far as it was separately returned at the censuses of 1890 and 1900.

TABLE 4.—POPULATION OF MARYLAND BY MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS: 1890 AND 1900.

MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS.	1900	1890	MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS.	1900	1890
ALLEGANY COUNTY -----	53,694	41,571	BALTIMORE CITY—Continued.		
District 1. Orleans-----	954	910	Ward 3-----	20,447	
District 2. Oldtown-----	828	871	Ward 4-----	22,071	
District 3. Flintstone-----	1,108	1,524	Ward 5-----	20,751	
District 4. Cumberland Canal, including ward 6 and part of ward 5 of Cumberland city.	6,566	2,843	Ward 6-----	20,767	
Cumberland city (part of)-----	5,068	2,343	Ward 7-----	21,237	
Total for Cumberland city, in districts 4, 5, 6, 14, 22, and 23-----	17,128	12,729	Ward 8-----	21,096	
Ward 1-----	2,545		Ward 9-----	24,117	
Ward 2-----	2,939		Ward 10-----	21,985	
Ward 3-----	2,585		Ward 11-----	19,201	
Ward 4-----	2,290		Ward 12-----	23,584	
Ward 5-----	2,144		Ward 13-----	21,362	
Ward 6-----	4,620		Ward 14-----	21,307	
District 5. Willis Creek, including ward 8 and part of ward 2 of Cumberland city.	4,661	3,625	Ward 15-----	21,007	
Cumberland city (part of)-----	4,204	3,430	Ward 16-----	22,987	
District 6. Cumberland River, including ward 1 of Cumberland city.	3,037	2,204	Ward 17-----	20,425	
Cumberland city (part of)-----	2,545	2,204	Ward 18-----	23,080	
District 7. Rawlings-----	397	762	Ward 19-----	20,203	
District 8. Westernport, including Westernport village.	3,258	2,401	Ward 20-----	22,618	
Westernport village-----	1,995	1,545	Ward 21-----	20,560	
District 9. Barton ¹ -----	1,640	2,212	Ward 22-----	19,231	
District 10. Lonaconing, ² including part of Lonaconing village.	2,757	2,763	Ward 23-----	19,584	
Lonaconing village (part of)-----	1,248		Ward 24-----	19,411	
Total for Lonaconing village, in districts 10 and 15-----	2,181				
District 11. Frostburg, ³ including part of Frostburg town.	1,812	3,565	CALVERT COUNTY -----	10,223	9,860
Frostburg town (part of)-----	674	2,582	District 1. Solomons Island-----	4,255	3,978
Total for Frostburg town, in districts 11, 22, and 26-----	5,274	3,864	District 2-----	2,958	2,908
District 12. East Frostburg, including part of Frostburg town.	2,090	1,372	District 3-----	8,000	2,979
Frostburg town (part of)-----	1,620	1,222			
District 13. Mt. Savage-----	2,645	1,978	CAROLINE COUNTY -----	16,248	13,908
District 14, comprising parts of wards 2 and 4 of Cumberland city.	2,033	2,140	District 1. Henderson-----	1,937	1,639
Cumberland city (part of)-----	2,033	2,140	District 2. Greensboro, ⁴ including Bridgetown and Greensboro towns.	2,374	3,151
District 15. East Lonaconing, including part of Lonaconing village.	3,277	3,056	Bridgetown town-----	50	
Lonaconing village (part of)-----	933		Greensboro town-----	641	900
District 16. North Branch-----	516	553	District 3. Denton, ⁵ including Denton town-----	2,519	2,801
District 17. Vale Summit-----	819	822	Denton town-----	900	641
District 18. Ocean-----	2,669	1,379	District 4. Preston, ⁶ including Preston town-----	2,128	2,085
District 19. Borden Shaft-----	1,146	1,002	Preston town-----	192	
District 20. Ellerslie-----	1,122	796	District 5. Federalsburg, ⁶ including Federalsburg village.	1,789	2,191
District 21. Gross-----	438	152	Federalsburg village-----	539	543
District 22. Union Street, including part of ward 5 of Cumberland city.	2,049	1,567	District 6. Hillsboro, ⁶ including Hillsboro town-----	1,796	2,036
Cumberland city (part of)-----	7,635	7,234	Hillsboro town-----	196	174
District 23. Decatur Street, including part of ward 4 of Cumberland city.	1,818	1,800	District 7. Ridgely, ⁶ including Ridgely village-----	1,928	
Cumberland city (part of)-----	1,533	1,372	Ridgely village-----	713	215
District 24. Dekhart-----	1,658	1,478	District 8. American Corner ⁶ -----	1,829	
District 25. Poku ¹ -----	701				
District 26. Frostburg, ³ including part of Frostburg town.	3,526		CARROLL COUNTY -----	38,860	32,379
Frostburg town (part of)-----	2,980		District 1. Taneytown, including Taneytown village-----	2,678	2,578
ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY -----	40,018	34,094	Taneytown village-----	655	565
District 1-----	4,138	4,587	District 2. Union town-----	2,409	2,394
District 2, including Arundel-on-the-Bay town ² -----	4,817	3,688	District 3. Myers-----	2,112	2,184
District 3-----	5,597	4,594	District 4. Woolery-----	2,864	2,750
District 4-----	4,729	4,624	District 5. Freedom-----	4,407	3,514
District 5-----	9,039	5,165	District 6. Manchester, including Manchester village-----	3,440	3,464
District 6, coextensive with Annapolis city-----	8,402	7,604	Manchester village-----	509	273
Annapolis city:-----			District 7. Westminster, including Westminster town-----	6,408	5,973
Ward 1-----	3,580		Westminster town-----	3,199	2,993
Ward 2-----	2,369		District 8. Hampstead, including Hampstead village-----	2,213	2,202
Ward 3-----	2,453		Hampstead village-----	480	521
District 8-----	3,776	3,902	District 9. Franklin-----	1,311	1,369
BALTIMORE COUNTY -----	90,755	72,909	District 10. Middleburg-----	1,188	1,231
District 1, including part of Ellicott City-----	3,408	7,217	District 11. New Windsor, including New Windsor town-----	2,027	2,047
Ellicott City (part of)-----	165	155	New Windsor town-----	430	414
Total for Ellicott City, in district 1, Baltimore county, and district 2, Howard county.	1,331	1,488	District 12. Union Bridge, including Union Bridge town-----	1,400	1,455
District 2-----	4,370	4,561	Union Bridge town-----	663	743
District 3-----	7,858	5,473	District 13. Mt. Airy, including Mt. Airy village-----	1,408	1,211
District 4-----	4,974	4,479	Mt. Airy village-----	332	
District 5-----	2,412	2,381			
District 6-----	2,121	2,285	Cecil COUNTY -----	24,662	25,851
District 7-----	3,313	3,312	District 1. Cecilton, including Cecilton town-----	2,662	2,956
District 8-----	6,106	5,957	Cecilton town-----	447	485
District 9-----	10,776	7,977	District 2. Chesapeake, including Chesapeake town-----	2,251	2,428
District 10-----	2,746	2,838	Chesapeake town-----	1,172	1,155
District 11-----	5,017	4,977	District 3. Elkton, including Elkton town-----	4,917	4,817
District 12 ⁴ -----	14,925	17,279	Elkton town-----	2,542	2,318
District 13-----	5,406	4,173	District 4. Fair Hill-----	1,591	2,011
District 14 ⁴ -----	4,404		District 5. Northeast, including Charlestown and Northeast towns.	8,511	3,998
District 15 ⁴ -----	7,121		Charlestown town-----	244	228
BALTIMORE CITY -----	508,957	484,489	Northeast town-----	969	1,249
Ward 1-----	21,176		District 6. Rising Sun, including Rising Sun village-----	2,617	2,661
Ward 2-----	20,700		Rising Sun village-----	382	384
			District 7. Port Deposit, including Perryville and Port Deposit towns.	4,298	4,818
			Perryville town-----	770	344
			Port Deposit town-----	1,575	1,908
			District 8. Oakwood (Mt. Pleasant)-----	1,214	1,249
			District 9. Calvert (Brick Meeting House)-----	1,261	1,881

¹ District 25 organized from parts of districts 9 and 10 since 1890.² District 26 organized from part of district 11 since 1890.³ Not separately returned.⁴ Districts 14 and 15 organized from parts of district 12 since 1890.⁵ District 7 organized from parts of districts 2 and 6 since 1890.⁶ District 8 organized from parts of districts 3, 4, and 5 since 1890.

TABLE 4.—POPULATION OF MARYLAND BY MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS: 1890 AND 1900—Continued.

MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS.	1900	1890	MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS.	1900	1890
CHARLES COUNTY	18,818	15,191	GARRETT COUNTY—Continued.		
District 1. Port Tobacco, including La Plata village ¹	2,328	2,038	District 8. Ryans Glade	1,766	1,457
District 2. Hill Top	1,780	1,480	District 9. Johnsons	828	576
District 3. Nanjemoy	2,017	1,780	District 10. Deer Park, ¹² including Deer Park town	1,155	1,195
District 4. Allens Fresh	2,616	2,110	Deer Park town	253	175
District 5. Harris Lot	2,225	1,837	District 11. The Elbow	617	526
District 6. Middletown	1,683	1,864	District 12. Bittinger ¹³	768	
District 7. Pamunkey	1,587	1,167	District 13. Kittsmillersville ¹⁴	295	
District 8. Bryantown	2,773	2,275	District 14. West Oakland, ¹⁵ including part of Oakland town	1,911	
District 9. Patuxent	1,807	1,150	Oakland town (part of)	729	
DORCHESTER COUNTY	27,962	24,843	HARFORD COUNTY	23,269	23,993
District 1. Fork	1,850	1,787	District 1. Abingdon, including Abingdon village ¹	2,702	2,735
District 2. East New Market, ² including East New Market town	2,398	2,579	District 2. Halls Crossroads, including Aberdeen village	5,631	5,729
East New Market town	1,267		Aberdeen village	600	448
District 3. Vienna	1,522	1,617	District 3. Belair, including Belair town	5,349	6,890
District 4. Parsons Creek ³	940	1,914	Belair town	651	1,410
District 5. Lakes	1,740	1,493	District 4. Marshall	4,595	4,712
District 6. Hooper Island	1,233	1,125	District 5. Dublin, including Darlington village	5,593	5,583
District 7. Cambridge, including Cambridge town	7,946	5,823	Darlington village	250	239
Cambridge town	5,747	4,192	District 6. Havre de Grace, coextensive with Havre de Grace city	3,423	3,241
Ward 1	1,417		HOWARD COUNTY	16,715	16,269
Ward 2	1,400		District 1. Elk Ridge	2,498	2,182
Ward 3	541		District 2, including part of Ellicott City	3,745	3,922
Ward 4	1,616		Ellicott City (part of)	1,456	1,333
Ward 5	673		[For total see district 1, Baltimore county.]		
District 8. Neck	1,350	1,267	District 3	2,233	2,032
District 9. Church Creek	1,159	1,181	District 4	3,082	3,002
District 10. Straits	2,120	1,724	District 5	2,300	2,201
District 11. Drawbridge	1,082	1,095	District 6	2,857	2,950
District 12. Williamsburg ⁴	692	1,110	KENT COUNTY	18,786	17,471
District 13. Bucktown	1,024	1,000	District 1. Massey, including Millington town	3,635	3,000
District 14. Linkwood	1,219	1,178	Millington town	406	435
District 15. Hurlock, ⁵ including Hurlock village	1,879		District 2. Kennedyville	3,196	3,196
Hurlock village	280		District 3. Worton or Betterton ¹⁵	2,253	2,551
District 16. Madison ⁶	830		District 4. Chestertown, ¹⁶ including Chestertown town	3,242	4,227
FREDERICK COUNTY	51,920	49,512	Chestertown town	3,008	4,592
District 1. Buckeystown ⁴	2,589	2,651	District 5. Edesville ¹⁷	3,441	4,025
District 2. Frederick, ⁵ including Frederick city	10,754	10,498	District 6. Fairlee ¹⁸	1,685	
Frederick city	9,296	8,193	District 7. Pomonca ¹⁹	1,401	
District 3. Middletown, ⁶ including Middletown town	1,992	2,619	MONTGOMERY COUNTY	30,451	27,135
Middletown town	665	667	District 1. Laytonsville, including Laytonsville town	1,981	1,930
District 4. Creagerstown	1,107	1,105	Laytonsville town	148	
District 5. Emmitsburg, including Emmitsburg town	3,600	3,626	District 2. Clarksburg, including Hyattstown town	2,013	1,812
Emmitsburg town	849	844	Hyattstown town	81	
District 6. Catoclin	1,304	1,392	District 3. Poolesville, including Poolesville town	2,848	2,416
District 7. Urbana	2,354	2,408	Poolesville town	236	
District 8. Liberty	1,854	1,585	District 4. Rockville, including Garrett Park and Rockville towns	3,438	3,045
District 9. New Market	2,925	2,854	Garrett Park town	175	
District 10. Hanners	1,428	1,415	Rockville town	1,110	1,568
District 11. Woodsboro	2,475	2,492	District 5. Colesville	2,192	2,580
District 12. Petersville, ⁶ including Brunswick town	3,712	2,943	District 6. Darnestown	1,675	1,684
Brunswick town	2,471		District 7. Bethesda	2,027	2,243
District 13. Mt. Pleasant, including Walkersville town	1,702	1,756	District 8. Olney, including Brookeville town	3,321	3,216
Walkersville town	359	255	Brookeville town	198	
District 14. Jefferson ⁷	1,465	1,536	District 9. Gaithersburg, including Gaithersburg town	2,383	2,260
District 15. Mechanics town, including Thurmont town	2,588	2,724	Gaithersburg town	547	
Thurmont town	868		District 10. Potomac	1,630	1,422
District 16. Jackson	1,862	1,890	District 11. Barnesville, including Barnesville town	1,655	1,876
District 17. Johnsonville	1,610	1,729	Barnesville town	125	
District 18. Woodville	1,424	1,252	District 12. Damascus, including Damascus town	1,770	1,622
District 19. Linganore	1,152	1,221	Damascus town	148	
District 20. Lewistown	1,192	1,256	District 13. Wheaton, including Kensington and Takoma towns	3,943	2,559
District 21. Tuscarora	1,133	1,110	Kensington town	477	
District 22. Burkittsville, ⁸ including Burkittsville town	1,811		Takoma town	756	164
Burkittsville town	229	273	PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY	29,898	29,080
District 23. Ballenger ⁷	720		District 1. Vansville	2,118	1,812
District 24. Braddock ⁸	609		District 2. Bladensburg, including Bladensburg and Hyattsville towns	3,981	2,065
GARRETT COUNTY	17,701	14,213	Bladensburg town	453	503
District 1. Swanton ⁹	1,263	1,002	Hyattsville town	1,222	1,509
District 2. Friendsville and Selbysport ¹⁰	2,208	1,529	District 3. Marlboro, ²⁰ including Upper Marlboro town	1,919	3,674
District 3. Grantsville, ¹⁰ including Grantsville town	1,929	2,084	Upper Marlboro town	449	439
Grantsville town	175		District 4. Nottingham	1,737	1,712
District 4. Bloomington, ¹⁰ including Bloomington town	1,055	1,062			
Bloomington town	395	295			
District 5. Accident	1,237	1,432			
District 6. Sang Run	1,099	871			
District 7. East Oakland, ¹¹ including Loch Lynn Heights and Mountain Lake Park towns and part of Oakland town	1,555	2,525			
Loch Lynn Heights town	215				
Mountain Lake Park town	260				
Oakland town (part of)	441				
Total for Oakland town, in districts 7 and 14	1,170	1,046			

¹ Not separately returned.² District 15 organized from parts of districts 2 and 12 since 1890.³ District 16 organized from part of district 4 since 1890.⁴ Part taken to form part of district 23 since 1890.⁵ Parts taken to form district 24 and part of district 23 since 1890.⁶ District 22 organized from parts of districts 3 and 12 since 1890.⁷ Organized from parts of districts 1, 2, and 14 since 1890.⁸ Organized from part of district 2 since 1890.⁹ Parts taken to form parts of districts 12 and 13 since 1890.¹⁰ Part taken to form part of district 12 since 1890.¹¹ District 14 organized from part of district 7 since 1890.¹² Part taken to form part of district 13 since 1890.¹³ Organized from parts of districts 1, 2, 8, and 4 since 1890.¹⁴ Organized from parts of districts 1 and 10 since 1890.¹⁵ Part taken to form part of district 6 since 1890.¹⁶ Part taken to form part of district 7 since 1890.¹⁷ Parts taken to form parts of districts 5 and 7 since 1890.¹⁸ Organized from parts of districts 3 and 5 since 1890.¹⁹ Organized from parts of districts 4 and 5 since 1890.²⁰ Part taken to form part of district 15 since 1890.

TABLE 4.—POPULATION OF MARYLAND BY MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS: 1890 AND 1900—Continued.

MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS.	1900	1890	MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS.	1900	1890
PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY—Continued.			WASHINGTON COUNTY—Continued.		
District 5. Piscataway, including Piscataway village.....	2,054	1,650	District 2. Williamsport, including Williamsport town.....	2,656	2,219
Piscataway village.....	95	—	Williamsport town.....	2,472	1,277
District 6. Spalding ¹	1,995	1,677	District 3. Hagerstown, ⁵ exclusive of part of Hagerstown city.....	638	540
District 7. Queen Anne.....	2,245	2,152	District 4. Clear Spring, including Clear Spring town.....	1,820	1,883
District 8. Aquasco.....	1,274	1,218	Clear Spring town.....	474	—
District 9. Surratts.....	1,103	992	District 5. Hancock, including Hancock town.....	2,202	2,079
District 10. Laurel, including Laurel town.....	2,633	2,523	Hancock town.....	824	815
Laurel town.....	2,079	1,984	District 6. Boonsboro, including Boonsboro town.....	1,988	1,883
District 11. Brandywine.....	1,669	1,616	Boonsboro town.....	700	766
District 12. Oxon.....	1,425	1,205	District 7. Cavetown, including Smithsburg town.....	1,764	1,757
District 13. Kent.....	1,828	1,553	Smithsburg town.....	462	487
District 14. Bowie, including Bowie town.....	1,814	1,681	District 8. Rohrsville.....	1,414	1,288
Bowie town.....	443	—	District 9. Leitersburg.....	1,271	1,368
District 15. Melwood ²	2,073	—	District 10. Funkstown, including Funkstown town.....	1,245	1,281
			Funkstown town.....	550	—
QUEEN ANNE COUNTY.....			District 11. Sandy Hook.....	1,586	1,602
	18,864	18,461	District 12. Tilghmanton.....	1,804	1,392
District 1. Dixon, including Sudlersville village.....	2,750	2,903	District 13. Conococheague.....	1,402	1,312
Sudlersville village.....	221	125	District 14. Ringgold.....	1,190	998
District 2. Church Hill, including Church Hill village.....	2,295	2,452	District 15. Indian Spring.....	1,585	1,583
Church Hill village.....	368	596	District 16. Beaver Creek.....	1,090	1,157
District 3. Centerville, including Centerville town.....	8,556	4,125	District 17. Antietam, exclusive of part of Hagerstown city.....	886	79
Centerville town.....	1,231	1,399	District 18. Chewsville.....	889	917
District 4. Kent Island.....	2,625	2,240	District 19. Keedysville, including Keedysville town.....	1,103	1,127
District 5. Queenstown, including Queenstown town.....	3,808	2,707	Keedysville town.....	426	420
Queenstown town.....	374	—	District 20. Downsville.....	960	1,026
District 6. Ruthsburg.....	1,781	2,001	District 21. West Hagerstown, ⁶ exclusive of part of Hagerstown city.....	497	—
District 7. Crumpton, including Crumpton village.....	1,787	1,988	District 22. East Hagerstown, exclusive of part of Hagerstown city.....	537	1,019
Crumpton village.....	207	317	District 23. Wilsons.....	964	1,064
ST. MARY COUNTY.....			District 24, ⁶ exclusive of part of Hagerstown city.....	536	—
	18,186	15,810	District 25, ⁶ exclusive of part of Hagerstown city.....	617	—
District 1. St. Inigoes.....	2,050	1,664	Hagerstown city, in districts 8, 17, 21, 22, 24, and 25.....	18,591	10,118
District 2. Valley Lee.....	1,759	1,522	Ward 1.....	923	—
District 3. Leonardtown, including Leonardtown town.....	3,707	2,737	Ward 2.....	2,447	—
Leonardtown town.....	454	521	Ward 3.....	2,792	—
District 4. Chaptico.....	1,856	1,875	Ward 4.....	8,281	—
District 5. Mechanicsville.....	2,087	1,900	Ward 5.....	4,148	—
District 6. Hillville.....	2,108	1,070	WICOMICO COUNTY.....		
District 7. Milestown.....	2,410	1,620		22,852	19,980
District 8. Centerville.....	1,706	1,808	District 1. Barren Creek.....	1,638	1,576
District 9. St. George Island.....	898	888	District 2. Quantico.....	1,823	1,638
SOMERSET COUNTY.....			District 3. Tyaskin.....	4,211	3,576
	25,923	24,155	District 4. Pittsburg.....	2,395	2,462
District 1. Princess Anne, ² including Princess Anne town.....	3,471	4,414	District 5. Parsons, ³ including part of Salisbury town.....	3,211	1,556
Princess Anne town.....	854	665	Salisbury town (part of).....	1,867	—
District 2. St. Peters.....	1,481	1,888	Total for Salisbury town, in districts 5, 8, and 9.....	4,277	2,905
District 3. Brinkleys ²	2,675	3,841	District 6. Dennis.....	856	960
District 4. Dublin.....	1,681	1,526	District 7. Trappe.....	1,930	1,803
District 5. Mt. Vernon.....	1,470	1,808	District 8. Nutters, including part of Salisbury town.....	1,424	1,051
District 6. Fairmount ³	2,317	2,781	Salisbury town (part of).....	409	—
District 7. Crisfield, ⁴ including Crisfield town.....	3,400	3,980	District 9. Salisbury, ⁵ including part of Salisbury town.....	2,887	1,688
Crisfield town.....	1,165	1,565	Salisbury town (part of).....	2,001	—
District 8. Lawsons.....	2,384	1,850	District 10. Sharptown, including Sharptown town.....	1,125	820
District 9. Tangier.....	2,234	2,052	Sharptown town.....	529	427
District 10. Smith Island.....	651	534	District 11. Delmar, ⁴ including Delmar town.....	1,153	—
District 11. Damos Quarter.....	1,033	946	Delmar town.....	659	—
District 12. Asbury ⁴	1,534	—	WORCESTER COUNTY.....		
District 13. Westover ⁵	1,639	—		20,825	19,747
TALBOT COUNTY.....			District 1. Coston, including Pocomoke town.....	3,923	8,478
	20,342	19,736	Pocomoke town.....	2,124	1,866
District 1. Easton, including Easton town.....	6,394	5,809	District 2. Snow Hill, including Snow Hill town.....	3,534	3,597
Easton town.....	3,074	2,939	Snow Hill town.....	1,596	1,483
District 2. St. Michaels, including St. Michaels town.....	4,142	4,126	District 3. East Berlin, including Ocean City town and part of Berlin town.....	3,550	2,898
St. Michaels town.....	1,043	1,320	Berlin town (part of).....	777	566
District 3. Trappe, including Oxford and Trappe towns.....	4,511	4,902	Total for Berlin town, in districts 3 and 9.....	1,246	974
Oxford town.....	1,243	1,135	Ocean City town.....	365	85
Trappe town.....	279	251	District 4. Newark.....	1,165	1,093
District 4. Chapel.....	3,113	3,030	District 5. St. Martin, including Bishopville village.....	1,420	1,468
District 5. Bay Hundred.....	2,152	1,810	Bishopville village.....	243	275
WASHINGTON COUNTY.....			District 6. Colbournes.....	876	860
	45,133	39,782	District 7. Atkinsons.....	1,226	1,369
District 1. Sharpsburg, including Sharpsburg town.....	1,963	2,114	District 8. Stockton, including Girdletree town.....	2,890	2,849
Sharpsburg town.....	1,030	1,163	Girdletree town.....	336	—
			District 9. West Berlin, including part of Berlin town.....	2,205	2,186
			Berlin town (part of).....	469	468

¹ Part taken to form part of district 15 since 1890.² Organized from parts of districts 3 and 6 since 1890.³ District 13 organized from parts of districts 1, 3, and 6 since 1890.⁴ District 12 organized from part of district 7 since 1890.⁵ Districts 24 and 25 organized from parts of districts 8 and 21 since 1890.⁶ Not separately returned.⁷ Includes population (2,005) of Salisbury town.⁸ District 11 organized from parts of districts 5 and 9 since 1890.⁹ Exclusive of population of Salisbury town.

There are 98 incorporated cities, towns, and villages in Maryland, for which the population in 1900 is separately returned, and these incorporated places are presented in table 5 in alphabetical order, being abstracted from table 4, in which they are presented in detail under the counties in which they are severally situated.

TABLE 5.—POPULATION OF THE INCORPORATED CITIES, TOWNS, AND VILLAGES OF MARYLAND: 1890 AND 1900.

CITIES, TOWNS, AND VILLAGES.	POPULATION.		CITIES, TOWNS, AND VILLAGES.	POPULATION.		CITIES, TOWNS, AND VILLAGES.	POPULATION.	
	1900	1890		1900	1890		1900	1890
Aberdeen village	600	448	Elkton town	2,542	2,318	Northeast town	969	1,249
Annapolis city	8,462	7,064	Ellicott City	1,331	1,488	Oakland town	1,170	1,040
Baltimore city	508,957	434,439	Emmitsburg town	849	844	Ocean City town	395	85
Barnesville town	125	—	Federalburg village	539	543	Oxford town	1,243	1,135
Berlin town	961	1,416	Frederick city	9,296	8,193	Perryville town	770	844
Bethesda town	1,246	974	Frostburg town	5,274	3,804	Piscataway village	95	—
Bishopville village	243	275	Funkstown town	559	—	Pocomoke town	2,124	1,866
Bladensburg town	463	503	Gaithersburg town	547	—	Poolesville town	236	—
Bloomington town	395	295	Garrett Park town	175	—	Port Deposit town	1,575	1,908
Boonsboro town	700	768	Griddleeetree town	333	—	Preston town	192	—
Bowie town	443	—	Grantsville town	175	—	Princess Anne town	854	865
Bridgetown town	60	—	Greensboro town	641	602	Queenstown town	374	—
Brookville town	158	—	Hagerstown city	13,591	10,118	Ridgely village	713	215
Brunswick town	2,471	—	Hampstead village	480	521	Rising Sun village	382	384
Burkittsville town	229	273	Hancock town	824	815	Rockville town	1,110	1,508
Cambridge town	5,747	4,192	Havre de Grace city	3,423	3,214	St. Michaels town	1,033	1,329
Cecilton town	447	485	Hillsboro town	196	174	Salisbury town	4,277	2,905
Centerville town	1,231	1,309	Hurlock village	280	—	Sharpsburg town	1,030	1,103
Charlestown town	214	228	Hyattstown town	81	—	Sharptown town	529	427
Chesapeake town	1,172	1,155	Hyattsville town	1,222	1,539	Smithsburg town	482	487
Chester town	3,008	2,632	Keadysville town	426	420	Snow Hill town	1,696	1,483
Church Hill village	368	696	Kensington town	477	—	Sudlersville village	221	125
Clear Spring town	474	—	Laurel town	2,079	1,984	Takoma town	756	104
Crisfield town	3,165	1,665	Laytonsville town	148	—	Taneytown village	665	606
Crumpton village	207	817	Leonardtown town	454	521	Thurmont town	368	—
Cumberland city	17,128	12,729	Loch Lynn Heights town	215	—	Trappe town	279	251
Damascus town	148	—	Lonaconing village	2,181	—	Union Bridge town	668	748
Darlington village	260	230	Manchester village	609	273	Upper Marlboro town	449	439
Deer Park town	293	170	Middletown town	655	607	Walkersville town	359	255
Delmar town	650	—	Millington town	406	485	Westernport village	1,938	1,526
Denton town	900	641	Mountain Lake Park town	250	—	Westminster town	3,199	2,908
East New Market town	1,267	—	Mt. Airy village	332	—	Williamsport town	1,472	1,277
Easton town	3,074	2,939	New Windsor town	430	414			

Of the above named 98 incorporated places there are 18 that have a population in 1900 of more than 2,000, and of these, 11 have less than 5,000; 4 have more than 5,000 and less than 10,000; and 3 have more than 10,000, namely, Baltimore, with 508,957; Cumberland, with 17,128; and Hagerstown, with 13,591 inhabitants.

Baltimore is the only city in the state having a population in 1900 of more than 25,000, and for this city a summary is presented in table 6, showing its population from 1790 to 1900, inclusive, together with its increase by number and per cent for each of the ten-year periods.

TABLE 6.—POPULATION OF BALTIMORE CITY: 1790 TO 1900.

CENSUS YEARS.	Population.	Increase.		CENSUS YEARS.	Population.	Increase.	
		Number.	Per cent.			Number.	Per cent.
1900	508,957	74,518	17.2	1840	102,813	21,693	26.9
1890	434,439	102,126	30.7	1830	80,620	17,882	23.5
1880	332,313	64,959	24.3	1820	62,738	16,183	34.3
1870	267,354	54,936	25.9	1810	46,555	20,041	75.6
1860	212,418	43,864	25.7	1800	26,514	18,011	96.4
1850	189,054	63,741	65.2	1790	13,503		

From the foregoing summary it appears that the population of Baltimore in 1900 is 508,957, or 74,518 more than in 1890, which represents an increase during the decade of 17.2 per cent. This is materially less both in number and per cent than the increase for the preceding decade from 1880 to 1890; it is likewise a lower rate of increase than that for any preceding decade. The growth of the city has, however, from the first been in much greater ratio than that of the state, as appears from the fact that Baltimore had a population in 1790 of 13,503, while that of the state at the same census was more than twenty-three times as great; in 1900 nearly one-half of the population of the state is within the boundaries of the city.

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